

## FISH DEALERS ARE BUSY

Have Been Getting Plants Ready For Boom  
Which Is And Which Is To Be

The Maine coast is experiencing a building boom in its commercial fisheries. Commissioner Greenleaf based his statement on a recent survey of the various fishing ports where new construction has been completed or is now under way. Greenleaf pointed out that most of this construction was being done with non-critical materials.

At Stonington, Ralph Barter of the R. K. Barter Co., is constructing connecting building between the fresh fish plant and the packing house which will increase production area and mean the employment of at least 50 additional persons. Most of the material for the new building at Stonington and another at Vinalhaven has come from an abandoned packing plant at Castine.

The F. J. O'Hara Co., at Rockland has completed a new design tunnel type freezing plant which streamlines the processing and packing of fish to the extent that over all production is now a million pounds a month. Approximately 100 people are employed at the new plant. The O'Hara Co. operates four 82 foot draggers out of the Rockland plant.

Rockliff & Witham of Rockland have recently completed one of the most modern plants in the industry for the handling of lobsters. The new plant operates 42 storage and grading tanks with a total capacity of 25,000 pounds of shellfish. Rockliff and Witham have two lobster pounds, one at Vinalhaven with a capacity of 100,000 pounds, and one at Tenants Harbor with a capacity of 200,000 pounds.

H. W. Look Company of Rockland, has also expanded its lobster storage capacity with the construction of a new pound at Port Clyde. The storage area is said to be sufficient for 100,000 pounds of the shellfish.

The Whitmoyer Laboratories of Rockland have their new plant for producing fish meal, cod livers and liver feed in operation. The latest designs in processing machinery and which triple former production figures.

At Port Clyde, the Delco Preservation Company is remodeling a large fish factory and intends to process all kinds of fish including shrimp. The company is planning to operate on a year round schedule with approximately 100 employees. Special emphasis will be placed on the production of fancy canned fish for American consumption.

The Boothbay Freezer Inc., has rebuilt its filleting plant which was destroyed by fire last fall. The new construction is valued at \$35,000 and has many improvements over the old former building. In full operation the new plant has a daily production capacity of 40,000 pounds of fish and employs 100 persons when in full production.

To facilitate the operation of the shore factories, Commissioner Greenleaf stated that fishing vessels of all types were being constructed in local yards. Many of these boats are now in operation and are a contributing factor in the increased poundage of fish landed at Maine ports in the past few months, Greenleaf said.

## ROCKLAND'S NIGHT LAUNCHING

Unusual Event Thrills Crowd At Snow  
Shipyards—Third "E" Award Is Made

When the Navy net tender Palo Blanco slid down the ways at Snow's Shipyard at 9 o'clock Saturday night the event constituted a new record for Rockland shipbuilding circles. As never before, in the memory of man, had there been a night launching in this city.

Officially known as the AN-64 the craft made a successful "get-away" for its new career, christened by Mrs. Ernest Gamage, wife of the yard superintendent. In the gathering dusk a crowd estimated at 60 watched the Palo Blanco take the water, and was duly thrilled by the unusual spectacle.

From the office of the Supervisor of Shipbuilding, USN, in Bath came Capt. and Mrs. R. S. Hitchcock, Miss Constance Hitchcock, Lieut. and Mrs. L. B. Rahn and Ensign V. E. Reed, W-V(S), USNR, while among the members of the sponsor's party were Mrs. Benjamin Fordham of City Island, N. Y., Mrs. Harold Coombs, Mrs. William Clements, Mrs. Robert Libby, Rose Athern, Catherine Athern, Ella Beal, Pauline Beal, Mrs. Rhama E. Philbrick, Miss Ethel Gordon and Miss Jeannette Gordon.

The Palo Blanco is the fifth of six net tenders for which the government contracted and its launching leaves but one other government boat on the stocks in this yard. Fred C. Gatoombe, president of Snow Shipyards, Incorporated, received many felicitations on the successful launching, and fine appearance of the new craft.

The Palo Blanco will be commanded by Lieut. David B. Little of Concord, Mass., Lt. (j.g.) Powers. C. Larson will be the executive officer, Ensign Samuel Loeb will be the engineering officer, and the Chief Boatwain will be Frederick Sithens.

Sandwiches, coffee and ice cream were served in the loft after the launching and the chefs who were told to prepare for 175 were some-

what dismayed when nearly double that number surrounded the buffet. But J. Fred Burgess, proprietor of Knox House, Thomaston, who is always commissioned to serve refreshments did not get caught wholly napping. Dancing to the strains of the Shipyard Orchestra lasted well into the night and it was voted one of the happiest occasions in the history of the yard.

To President Gatoombe the night was an especially happy one, for he had just received from C. C. Block Admiral USN (Ret.) chairman, of the Navy Board for Production Awards, the following letter:

"It is my pleasure to announce that in recognition of the continued outstanding production of the men and women of your company, the Navy Board for Production Awards at its last meeting granted Snow Shipyards, Incorporated a third renewal of the Army-Navy 'E' Award. You should receive the new flag with three stars in the near future.

"The congratulations of the Navy Department are extended to each and every man and woman of Snow Shipyards, Incorporated for maintaining the high production standards required first to win the award and then to receive the three stars which, in token of appreciation from the men on the fighting fronts, will be affixed to the new flag you are to fly over your plant.

"This additional honor you have won indicates your determination to supply our fighting forces with the materials needed to bring the war to a successful conclusion."

The Rockport Farm Bureau will meet Thursday at Masonic Hall, Rockport. The meeting, which is open to the public, will commence at 10:30 a. m. and the subject will be, "Food Preservation." Those attending may take covered dish, sugar and butter.

## HILDRETH SWEEP MAINE YESTERDAY

Nominated For Governor By 16,000 Plurality—  
Smith For Senator; Boynton For Commis-  
sioner—Bird and Mrs. Ellingwood For  
Representatives

### REPUBLICANS NOMINATED YESTERDAY

Governor—Horace A. Hildreth of Cumberland.  
Congressman—Margaret Chase Smith of Skowhegan.  
State Senator—William T. Smith of Thomaston.  
Judge of Probate—Harry E. Wilbur of Rockland.  
Clerk of Courts—Milton M. Griffin of Rockland.  
Register of Deeds—Helena H. Coltart of Rockland.  
Sheriff—C. Earle Ludwick of Rockland.  
County Attorney—Stuart C. Burgess of Rockland.  
County Commissioner—George E. Boynton of Camden.  
Representatives to Legislature—Frederic H. Bird and Ruth A. Ellingwood of Rockland, Milton C. Stephenson of Union, Charles E. Lord of Camden, Roy R. Bell of Thomaston and Arthur E. Emerson of North Haven.

### THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

Governor—Paul J. Julien of Waterville.  
Congressman—David H. Staples of Waterville.  
No nominees for County office or State Legislature.

### ROCKLAND'S LEGISLATIVE CONTEST

	FREDERIC H. BIRD	LOUIS R. CATES	RUTH A. ELLINGWOOD
Ward 1	39	82	47
Ward 2	79	54	112
Ward 3	229	92	244
Ward 4	76	62	74
Ward 5	46	59	58
Ward 6	33	21	49
Ward 7	46	33	42
Total	548	403	626

Maine Republicans yesterday nominated for Governor Horace A. Hildreth of Cumberland, president of the Maine Senate by a plurality which may reach 16,000. Roy L. Fernald of Waterville was second and F. Ardine Richardson was trailing by about 5000. The vote



Horace A. Hildreth, whom the Republicans have chosen as their candidate for Governor.

from 500 of the 626 precincts in the State was, approximately: Hildreth, 33,000; Fernald, 18,000; Richardson 13,000.

Rockland, which had the distinction of furnishing the Associated Press with the first complete city returns gave Hildreth 493 votes, Fernald 369, and Richardson 122. Knox County, with only Isle au Haut missing gave Hildreth 1160, Fernald 839, and Richardson 695.

The First District Congressionally fought resulted in the renomination of Representative Robert Hale by an overwhelming majority over Andrew Pettis, a C.I.O. man, running also on the Democratic ticket. Scott F. Kittredge, formerly of Rockland, waged a futile contest for the Democratic nomination.

#### Getting The Returns

The Courier-Gazette feels no small degree of pride in the fact that the complete election returns for Knox County were tabulated in this office (except for the island town of Isle au Haut) in two and

### Responded Well

Rockland Turns In \$771 To  
The Knox County Cancer  
Campaign

Mrs. Earle C. Perry, general chairman for Rockland of the Knox County Cancer Campaign, reports the results the most satisfactory since 1939. Rockland's total contribution to the fund this year is \$771, larger than for the entire county since 1939. Amounts collected the preceding four years were: 1940, \$339; 1941, \$455; 1942, \$349; and 1943, \$304.

Rockland's excellent showing is due to the efforts of some 75 workers and several generous donations by clubs, business firms and individuals. The figures by wards is: One, Mrs. P. L. Havener, \$46.58; Two, Mrs. Frederik Anderson, \$83.44; Three, Mrs. Edwin Post, \$335.42; Four, Mrs. Percy Dinsmore, \$54; Five, Mrs. Lloyd Jameson, \$76.70; Six, Mrs. Ansel Wooster, \$106.10 and Seven, Mrs. Maynard Havener, \$70.71.

Members of Edwin Libby Relief Corps are requested to be present at meeting Thursday night to complete plans for the 60th annual jubilee, which is to be held at Hotel Rockland, June 29.

### "The Black Cat"



By The Roving Reporter

A North End friend has my thanks for copies of the Rockland Gazette (1870 and 1872) and the Maine Farmer (1859 and 1860), the subscriber to which was the late A. C. Fales. I'm afraid the papers of that period wouldn't be especially popular with the readers of today, but they doubtless fulfilled their mission. And I must not speak disrespectfully of the Gazette which was our ancestor.

On my desk is a city report for the year 1870-71. George W. Kimball was mayor at a salary of \$200. The aldermen were Philo Thurston, William H. Rhodes, Francis Cobb, R. M. Pillsbury, John Lovejoy, E. K. Glover and John Bird—names which will be recognized by older readers as typical of the city's strong business interests. Editor Z. Pope Vose was city clerk.

### THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

I am deeply grateful to the voters of the Thomaston, Friendship, Cushing, South Thomaston and Owl's Head Town Class for the generous support given me in yesterday's election.

ROY R. BELL

Thomaston

### TO MY FRIENDS

I was deeply moved by the generous support accorded me by my friends in yesterday's primary contest. If elected in September I will serve them to the best of my ability.

MRS. RUTH ELLINGWOOD.

### SINCERE APPRECIATION

I wish to express my appreciation to my many friends who by their vote yesterday made my nomination for State Senator successful.

WILLIAM T. SMITH

### MANY THANKS!

Words fail me when I attempt to thank those who gave me such loyal support in my contest yesterday for the County Commissioner nomination. I am especially grateful to my fellow townsmen who gave me such an overwhelming majority.

GEORGE E. BOYNTON

Camden, June 20.



William T. Smith of Thomaston whose home town gave him a splendid vote in the State Senatorial contest.

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## Notice to Fishermen

We are ready to receive large herring at our Port Clyde plant. Fishermen from Matinicus, Monhegan etc. take notice.

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### New Deputy Sheriff

Sheriff C. Earle Ludwick has appointed F. Herbert Pierson as deputy sheriff from the town of St. George. Mr. Pierson succeeds the late Granville N. Bacheider, long time deputy from St. George, with

whose work as an official and fellow townsman he was quite familiar. The new appointment will afford general satisfaction.

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A family includes the husband and wife and all unmarried children, under the age of 19.

Call or see the Blue Cross representative at the Knox-County General Hospital or the Camden Community Hospital all this week.

All applications MUST be turned in by Saturday, June 24th and should be accompanied by the first payment. Applications may be left at either of the hospitals or at the Knox County Trust Co. in Rockland and Camden or the First National Bank in Rockland.

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### ON "SIDEWALK RATIONING"

The members of all panels of the Rockland O. P. A. Office have agreed on the principle of not discussing Board matters and rationing at their places of business or on the street.

This decision is regrettably arrived at through necessity because every member of the Board has heavy business cares which are interfered with by constant public intercession. It should be understood that all members serve without pay as a community obligation.

If the action of the public continues to interfere with the business or the individual members of the Board it will be necessary for several to resign which could well bring about rationing from Augusta, a condition every person with the interest of this section at heart hopes to avoid.

The Rockland office, 421 Main Street, is open to the public daily, from 9 to 5 except WEDNESDAY afternoon.

### DENTAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Milton C. Stephenson, D. M. D. of Union, wishes to notify his clientele that he will close his Dental office in that town June 24, as he has bought out Dr. George W. Hibbs, Bath, Me.

He will begin practicing in Bath, July 1. Miss Muriel McReynolds, D. H., will be his Hygienist. The office in Bath will be open June 26 for appointments. Tel. 248.

### FOR SALE

The City of Rockland invites bids for the purchase of a lot of land together with the buildings thereon at 12-14 Crescent Street, the dimensions of which are about 120 feet on the front by 80 by 122 by 60, known as the Myra Babbidge property. Sealed bids will be received until 2 P. M. Eastern War Time, June 22, 1944 at which time they will be opened. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Please address your communications to C. H. Morey, City Treasurer.

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# The Courier-Gazette

TWICE-A-WEEK

## Book Review

By K. A. F.

Now We Fly. Authors, Frank E. Sorenson and George E. Rotter. Published by The John C. Winston Co., Philadelphia.

Here is the story of aviation told in a most engaging way. Boys and girls are told first about the parts of a plane and what their purpose is then are given a lesson in flying. Just think of that!

Some of the first and most important questions about flying are answered, including the essential safety rules for flying and passengers. Photographs make the book even more thrilling and graphic.

Frank Sorenson is mighty well qualified to write this book, since he has long been an aviation enthusiast and has served as consultant for the Civil Aeronautics Commission. "Now We Fly" therefore is authentic and up-to-the-minute in its information. Besides being thrilling reading, more than delightful picturing and well bound in a lovely blue cloth.

The book will call all who have air ambition and hold them with its thrills.

Kathleen S. Fuller

## Answered The Bell

And Janitor Flanders Of Warren Street School Got A Great Surprise

His features wreathed in a broad smile, Walter E. Flanders, janitor of the Warren Street school building put in appearance at The Courier-Gazette office yesterday to tell of the happy surprise which the grade pupils gave him last Friday on the occasion of his birthday.

Wielding the broom industriously in the basement he heard the school bell ringing, and hastened aloft to see what was wanted. It didn't take him long to learn for as he passed down the lane of smiling schoolchildren he was greeted with the familiar happy birthday song, and came to a flag-decorated table which was laden with birthday gifts, neckties, tobacco—birthday cards and what not.

The pupils of the six grades housed in this building had done their level best to make it an all out surprise, and how well they succeeded was evident when the good-natured and blushing janitor undertook to put his thanks into words.

Mrs. Sarah D. Haskell, principal of the school was sharing happily in the affair, and asked Walter to have a look at the cards. Opening one which was addressed to the others out popped a five-dollar bill.

All in all it was a big moment in the janitor's life. "If there had been a crack in this floor large enough" said he, "I should certainly have fallen through it." But there wasn't, and he was right on the job yesterday, very grateful for the favors which the pupils have always shown him.

## SHE PREFERS DANDELIONS

Nobleboro, June 15.  
Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—

Still writing of dandelion greens. I had some for dinner today and they were as tender as spinach. I think the WACS and WAVES would be glad to dig and clean them if they like to do it as well as I do. If I had to choose between a lobster dinner and dandelion greens, I'd choose the latter.

I wonder if Mr. Philbrick has any more blossoms on his Wolf River apple tree than I had on mine this year. The tree was white, and my Macintosh Red had the most blossoms I ever did see on one tree.

Jennie Howard

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# THE COURIER-GAZETTE

TWICE-A-WEEK

Editor, FRANK A. WINSLOW

Associate Editor, MRS. WILLIAM O. FULLER

The Rockland Gazette was established in 1846. In 1874 the Courier was established and consolidated with the Gazette in 1882. The Free Press was established in 1855 and in 1891 changed its name to the Tribune. These papers consolidated March 17, 1897.

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## [EDITORIAL]

**GERMANS STILL HAVE HOPES**

Beset upon all sides by Allied forces bound for certain victory the Germans have resorted to the fantastic device known as "robot bombers" or "rocket guns," with which they are now showering London. Faith in these instruments of death and destruction is voiced by captured German officers who term it "our great weapon of war," boasting that they can destroy the Isle of Wight in four hours; that England's night fighters cannot stop them; that nothing can stop them and that Germany is going to win the war. But the German officer came down off his high horse long enough to admit that this war is worse for the Germans than the last, because they have too many fronts. An Associated Press despatch conveying the above information says there are two things German prisoners fear: first, being turned over to the Russian prisoners they have forced to fight on their side; second, being sent to Siberia. They neither understand nor appreciate human decency of the Allies. One prisoner, told to dig a trench as a protection against air raids and shelling, wept like a baby. He thought he was digging his own grave.

**AFTER GRADUATION WHAT?**

The class of 1944 terminates its school career Wednesday night when commencement exercises will be held in the Community Building. "Graduation night," we called it in former days, but it's all off the same piece, and history is about to repeat itself. The graduates will hear words of wisdom from a distinguished outside speaker, and those students who address the audience will doubtless express high-minded aims of their own. Aims which we hope will be taken fully to heart, and followed as closely as conditions may justify. For on Thursday comes the grim "tomorrow" when the graduates must put aside their well earned diplomas and face the task indicated by their class motto—"To the Stars Through Difficulty." They are destined to face conditions unlike those which have been faced by any other graduating class and to perform their own share of solving post-war problems. May they do it in manner befitting the capable and conscientious teachings which have been theirs the past four years.

**CATERPILLARS TAKE POSSESSION**

Multitudes of caterpillars, crawling hither and yon, repulsive to the eye and a menace to well ordered domestic conditions, have served as an annoyance the past two weeks and will continue to do so until the transition period. All this could be easily avoided if the citizens would but give heed to the nests which infest shrubs and fruit trees in the Spring and which could be easily destroyed before they have a chance to spew their disgusting contents upon the public.

**SITUATION LOOKS ROSIER**

Americans have lately been so schooled in checking their native optimism that it may be difficult now for them to give the freer rein to their hopes that military events in Normandy and in Italy appear to justify. While it is true that the Allied advance north of Rome, rapid as it has been, still faces probable defensive stands from the German Tenth and Fourteenth Armies, these badly mauled troops are not gaining strength in their hurried northward retreat. Rather the reverse, for they are losing manpower in the rearguards they abandon, and the dispatches tell of vast supplies falling into the hands of the advancing Allies. And where can the Germans obtain supplies and men for successful stands in Italy? Not from the homeland, which has been drained of men for the western and eastern fronts. Not, certainly, from France, for there the Germans more than have their hands full.

In Normandy, the Germans mustered their reserves, tactical and strategic, and have counterattacked hotly. But the reserves did not arrive in time and the counterattacks were not strong enough to contain the landings. Indeed, Allied strength has poured in so that the Germans compute upwards of half a million men have been landed, with heavy equipment. This augmented Allied strength is, in turn, knitting at German supply lines. At last reports Allied guns were mounted only six miles from the last German escape route from the Cherbourg tip, leaving the Nazis the uncomfortable decision of remaining to be trapped, or of departing in haste.

These are the momentary details. From the perspective of distance, the picture looks even better. Eisenhower can choose his point of attack and has the men and material for an overpowering thrust at any given point. Von Rundstedt must thin his forces over a long defense area, and is handicapped in mobility by the blows of preponderant Allied air power. Meantime, the Allied transport flood is rising, the military strength is doubling and rebuilding. We should not be surprised to see the Allied backfield unwork some power plays shortly. —Christian Science Monitor

## The Rotary Club

Winners Of Sophomore Prize Speaking Contest Were The Entertainers

Rotarians were entertained in a superb manner Friday, the program consisting of two orations, a dramatic sketch and a humorous monologue, presented by the four winners of the Rockland High School Sophomore Prize Speaking Contest held recently at the High School.

Allison E. Smith, sub-master and teacher of English, who coached the speakers, introduced the two young women and two young men, all of whom showed much ability and careful preparation.

Ronald Carver's oration was, "The Truths That Inspired George Washington," by Franklin D. Roosevelt; Miss Flora Hustus gave the monologue, "The Hand Bag" by Colin Clements; Dennis Trask presented the highly dramatic sketch, "A Message from Khufu," and Miss Louise Barton's oration was "Fighting for

the Same Cause" by Mme. Chiang Kai Shek. Rotarians were generous in their applause and praised highly each of the young people. Mr. Smith, who has coached, with great success, many dramatic productions since he came to the High School, was introduced by Jerome C. Barrows, program chairman.

President Joseph W. Robinson announced that the club would lunch next Friday at the High School gymnasium and that annual reports would be presented. Allie F. McAlary reported that the Boy Scouts of America campaign was coming to a satisfactory conclusion. Kelley B. Crie, with Stafford M. Congdon at the piano, conducted the song session.

Fifty-nine were present including Charles A. Holden of Hanover, N. H., and Glen A. Lawrence of Belfast, visitors, and Lloyd Crockett of North Haven, Benjamin B. Anthony of Bear Hill, Rockport, and Charles E. West, storekeeper, U. S. Navy, of Hallowell, guests.

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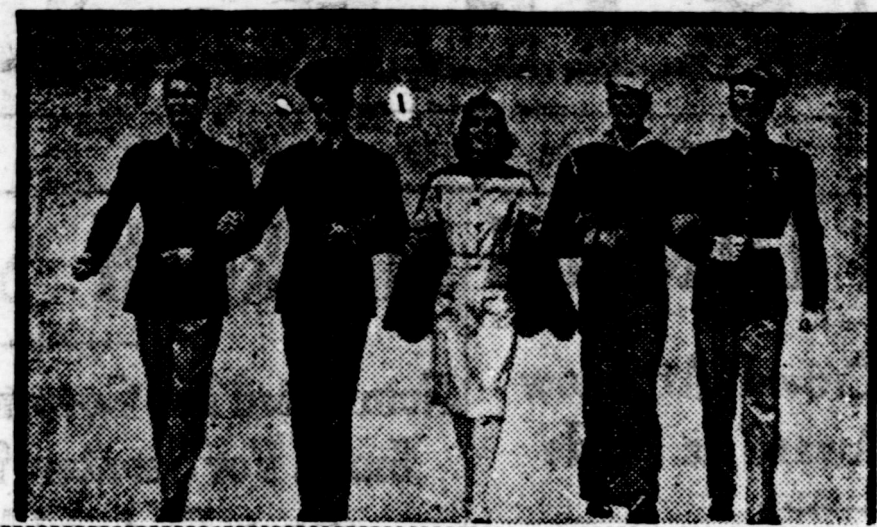
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# WORKING FOR VICTORY



An Eighth AAF Bomber Station, England—Most American bomber bases in England are miniature menageries with GIs harboring pets ranging from peacocks to dwarf donkeys, to a miniature monkey, on down to just a dog or a cat; but it remained for three corporals to come up with the stunt of turning two wild-born rabbits into the pampered pets of the hut area.

It started one day when Corporals Linwood Hooper, of Tenant's Harbor, and Arthur P. Miller, of Amityville, L. I. N. Y., were busy in the incendiary bomb revetments. The "down Easterer," working at the far end of the bomb storage place, suddenly called out, "Look what I just picked up!" Cpl. Miller walked over and saw two full hands of fur—two baby bunnies. The men took the furry fluffs to their Nissen hut, and put the bunnies in the care of Cpl. Harold K. Cumberworth, of Springfield, Ill., who started right off feeding the willing pets with an eye dropper, and then wrapped them in a warm GI blanket.

The careful coddling by the three corporals soon boosted the baby bunnies into romping full-grown rabbits. Today, the two bobbing white tails are a common sight around the area and in and out of the huts. The boys in hut number 9, after a hard day's work preparing the big B-17 Flying Fortress at this veteran Eighth AAF bomber base for an attack against Hitler's war making targets, still find time for fun and laughter with their long-eared pets.

Word has been received by Mrs. Perley E. Niles of Rockland that her husband suffered injury to both of his feet and is in the hospital at Cherry Point, N. C. He would like to hear from his friends, who may address him: Pvt. Perley E. Niles, A.W.G. FMAWG, 9th MAW, FMST, USMCAS, Cherry Point, N. C.

An Eighth AAF Fighter Station, England—Sgt. Thomas M. Williams of Union, Maine is a member of the P-47 Thunderbolt Group recently commended by Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle for "extraordinary heroism in rescuing a Bombarment Wing from vicious and persistent attacks by enemy fighter aircraft."

Led by Colonel Glenn E. Duncan, a 25-year-old Texan with 17 victories over the Luftwaffe, this Group is one of the outstanding fighter units operating in the skies over Germany. Among the first to engage in low level attacks on Nazi ground installations the P-47s in the European Theatre of Group introduced dive-bombing by Operations.

Sgt. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams, of Union, entered military service in June, 1942. He is now serving as an aircraft machinist.

Cynthia M. Greeley, SLC, WAVES on a 5-days' leave from duties as private branch exchange operator at the Naval Air Station at Memphis, Tenn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nina Greeley in Rockland.

Corp. Vernley G. Black, on furlough from Fort Worth, Texas, Army Air Field, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Black in Rockland.

Word has been received from Grenier Field Manchester, N. H., that S-Sgt. Almon N. Young of Rockland, has been awarded the "Good Conduct Medal" this medal is awarded for devotion to duty and excellent efficiency in the work to which you have been assigned.

Richard S. Brown, 21 son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Brown, 188 Maverick street, Rockland is receiving his initial indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes Ill. His "boot" training consists of in seamanship, military drill, and general naval procedure. During this period of series of aptitude tests will be taken by the recruit to determine whether he will be assigned to a Naval Service School or to immediate active duty at sea. His recruit training completed, the seaman will spend a period of leave at home.

# Letters Awarded

Annual Banquet At High School Gym An Enthusiastic and Delightful Affair

A high light of the closing days of Rockland Senior and Junior High Schools this year was the annual letterman's banquet and awarding of letters and certificates held in the High School gymnasium Wednesday night.

A chicken supper, prepared under the direction of Mrs. Clarence Dorman, was served the 150 present. The affair most successful in all its details, was arranged by Miss Elizabeth O'Brien, members of her committee being Dale Lindsey and Fred E. Allen. Much assistance was rendered by Mrs. Karl E. O'Brien, Mrs. Bernard Jameson and Mrs. Ernest Jones.

During the supper matters were enlivened by spirited singing of groups of boys and girls at the

dress (wife and young son) is 411 Moctezuma street, Laredo, Texas.

Percy W. Blaisdell, aviation machinist mate, 1c, of Pensacola, Fla., on a 10-days' furlough, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert P. Blaisdell, Rockland.

Pfc. Arnold Orff of the US Army Air base at Tonopah, Nev., is spending a furlough with his wife in Warren, and visiting relatives in Waldoboro and vicinity.

Midshipman Joseph Emerson, US Maritime service, returned Monday (June 12) to Castine, after spending a few days, leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Emerson at South Warren.

Corp. Robert L. Nash, son of Mrs. Herbert W. Lord of 39 Suffolk street, Rockland, is somewhere in England. His address may be obtained from his mother.

Pvt. Wayne Starrett left Tuesday for Camp Shelby, Miss., after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starrett, Warren.

Corp. Bowdoin Miller of the Jackson Army Air Base of Jackson, Miss., arrived Sunday to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller at Warren.

Clifton A. Cross, Ph.M.C. U. S. Navy of Rockland, who has been at sea several months, is home on an indefinite leave, awaiting orders. He was accompanied here by Mrs. Cross and their son Charles, who have been residing with Mrs. Joseph Thibault of Salem, Mass.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Korpi, Mrs. Uno Laito, and Mrs. Andrew Juura. Among the variety of cakes was a beautifully decorated one made for the occasion by Mrs. Juura. The centerpiece of mixed flowers, as well as the corsage worn by Pvt. Lampinen, were the thoughtful gifts of Mrs. Mary Antilla and daughters.

The short impromptu program began with the presentation of a purse of money by Miss Lillian Antilla in behalf of the group to the guest of honor. After Pvt. Lampinen had expressed her gratitude, Alan Lauka sang, "Remember Pearl Harbor" following which Mrs. Korpi recited an appropriate poem.

Pvt. Lampinen, daughter of Hjalmar Lampinen, and a graduate of Warren High School with class of 1940, will report this week at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for her five weeks basic training. She will be attached to the Signal Corps.

Among the out of town guests who were present were Pvt. Eino Lampinen, who is home on furlough from the Columbus Air Field, Columbus, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Abbott and family of Boothbay Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Barter and son, Robert, and Miss Ida Lampinen of Boothbay Centre.

Sgt. Sanford P. Delano of Rockland has moved from Fort Myers with the Central Instructors School, Flexible Gunnery outfit to Laredo, Texas, and his new address is: Laredo Army Air Field, Central Instructors School, Flexible Gunnery, Laredo, Texas. The family home address is: 48-49

## ROCKLAND TO NORTH HAVEN SUMMER SCHEDULE

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# TALK OF



June 21—President of the Knox County Copper Kettle. June 22—Rockland Association. June 23—National Association. June 24—National Association. June 25—National Association. June 26—National Association. June 27—National Association. June 28—National Association. June 29—National Association. June 30—National Association.

Mr. and Mrs. [Name] have lived in Rockland for [Number] years, moving about [Number] years ago. Conforth farm has been employed foreman at the [Name] is a member of the F.A.M. Mrs. [Name] is the Rubenstein's in music, sons, Edward, living at the [Name] and a third son, a student at the [Name] bursar.

Beach Inn will not be open but the proprietor, Lobster Pound, and will begin [Name] The Registrar new names to the session before [Name] Fred S. True months' vacation with the Maine Company.

Esther E. P. Helen W. Gray Hazel P. Starre on the Dean's term at University. Fred C. Thomas Mr. and Mrs. Lane, suffered a finger of his cleaning a rifle when he was a cartridge. All Colby graduates are urged to meet once for the tomorrow night. Bixler.

READY TO Old Orchard with activity the as preparations, the annual Degree 23, 24, and 25. Library, 40 and 5 will elect officers of importance, the current winter interludes of fun.

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## Tuesday-Friday

## TALK OF THE TOWN



June 21—President Bixler addresses the Knox County Colby Club at the Copper Kettle.  
June 21—Rockland High School Graduation.  
June 22—Rockland High School Alumni Association annual meeting.  
June 22—National Hospital Days.  
June 23—Department Convention of the American Legion at Old Orchard Beach.  
June 25—Samoet Hotel Opens.  
June 27—Rockland Garden Club meets with Mrs. Donald H. Fuller.  
June 27—Annual meeting of the Maine Medical Association in Rockland.  
June 29—60th Anniversary Edwin Libby Relief Corps, banquet, Hotel Rockland.  
July 2—Camp Tanglewood opens at Camden.  
July 3—Annual Fireman's Ball at Community Building.  
July 26—Annual Summer concert by Thomaston Baptist Choral Society.

Florence Brown has gone to Portland where she has employment in Grant's department store.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Storer, who have lived in Rockland 26 years, are moving about July 1 to the R. W. Conforth farm in Saco. Mr. Storer has been employed as a machinist foreman at the Snow Shipyards. He is a member of Aurora Lodge, F.A.M. Mrs. Storer, a member of the Rubinstein Club has been prominent in musical circles. Their sons, Edward and John are studying at the University of Chicago and a third son, Alfred, is a student at the University of Pittsburgh.

Beach Inn at Lincolnville Beach will not be open for the duration, but the proprietors have leased the Lobster Pound opposite that institution, and will serve lobster dinners beginning July 1st.

The Registration Board added 60 new names to the voting list at its session before the Primary election.

Fred S. True is having three months' vacation from his duties with the Maine Central Railroad Company.

Esther E. Flagg of Thomaston, Helen W. Gray of Stonington and Hazel P. Starrett of Friendship are on the Dean's list for the Spring term at University of Maine.

Fred C. Tolman, Jr., 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tolman of Kelly's Lane, suffered injury to the middle finger of his right hand, while cleaning a rifle yesterday. The rifle was accidentally discharged when he was attempting to remove a cartridge. It was necessary to amputate the injured finger.

All Colby graduates and friends are urged to make reservations at once for the Colby dinner at 6 tomorrow night honoring President Bixler.

READY FOR LEGION  
Old Orchard Beach has buzzed with activity the past many weeks as preparations were completed for the annual Department of Maine American Legion Convention June 23, 24, and 25. The Legion Auxiliary, 40 and 8 and the 8 and 40 will elect officers, transact business of importance to the fighters of the current war, and enjoy brief interludes of fun.

Rockland Townsend Club No. 1 meets every Thursday at 7:30 at K. P. Hall.

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Rockland 9:30 A. M. Vinalhaven 10:50 A. M.  
Vinalhaven 1 P. M. Rockland 2:20 P. M.  
Rockland 3:30 P. M. Vinalhaven 4:50 P. M.

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## With War Workers

## Fifth Loan Campaigners Labor All Over Country—The Rockland Women Report

The workers for the Fifth War Loan are reporting an excellent reception in all corners of the county though reports of totals have not been presented as yet. One town at least, Owl's Head, is already over its quota and workers are confident that diligence and public co-operation will bring victory.

The Women's Division of Rockland under direction of Mrs. Leonise Delano presents its first report:

Ward I—Mrs. Louis R. Cates, chairman, \$1,250.  
Ward II—Mrs. J. Albert Jameson, chairman, \$4,425.  
Ward III—Mrs. William Ellingwood, chairman, \$24,300.  
Ward IV—Mrs. Fred Goodnow, chairman, \$4,025.  
Ward V—Mrs. Ralph Feyler, chairman, \$3,025.  
Ward VI—Mrs. Maurice G. Ginn, chairman, \$9,725.  
Ward VII—Mrs. Jalo E. Ranta, chairman, \$5,025.  
Total, \$32,825.

## Rockland Lions

## Candidate Fernald Discusses Trend Of Things After The War

Roy M. Fernald speaking before Rockland Lions and guests Wednesday noon at the Thorndike Hotel on the subject, "Realisms of the Day," said that, "first of all we are interested in getting the war over and getting the 70,000 or more Maine boys home," and then he questioned: "What about taxes and what about jobs after the war?"

Rapidly sketching the general trend of things after every war, Fernald said that, "in social relations we have not grown to any great extent." "Our children are our greatest asset and we must develop the many potential resources in Maine, and thus keep leadership in Maine," the speaker declared.

Fernald pointed out, that after the war, we should build airplanes, for much wood could go into their construction, and we have plenty of wood here in this state. He stated that one vehicle manufacturer was planning to build trucks in Maine, and he urged that fish be completely processed before it is shipped out of the state. Mr. Fernald was introduced by Wilbur P. Senter program chairman.

Clifton A. Cross, Ph. M. 1c U.S. Navy, service member of the club, was present and given an ovation. Guests of members were Harry E. Johnson of Swan's Island and H. Ernest Keywood of Rockland. Vice President Sam Seavitt presided and Howard Crockett led the singing, with Dr. Blake B. Annis at the piano.

## BORN

Hastings—At Camden, June 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Hastings, a son—Donald Henry.  
Fish—At Knox Hospital, June 16, to G. O. Fish, C.M.E., USCG and Mrs. Fish a daughter—Glenice Ann.  
Buxton—At Portland, June 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buxton formerly Harriet Tison of Thomaston, a son.  
Elwell—At Knox Hospital, June 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Elwell of Spruce Head, a son.  
Halligan—At Knox Hospital, June 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Halligan, a son.

## MARRIED

Smith-Hess—At Waldoboro, June 14, Herman C. Smith and Cecile L. Hess, both of Rockland—by Rev. Frederick E. Heath.

## DIED

Wyllie—At Rockland, June 20, Annie J. widow of Tilston B. Wyllie of Thomaston, age 69 years 5 months, 3 days. Funeral Thursday at 2 o'clock from Davis funeral home, Thomaston. Interment in Norton cemetery, Cushing.  
Mason—At Keene, N. H. June 13, Wallace E. Mason, husband of Nettie N. (Robinson) Mason of Thomaston.  
Day—At St. George, June 15, Harry W. Day, formerly of Woolwich, age 65 years 4 mos. 1 day. Committal services Tuesday at Riverside Cemetery, Woolwich.  
Decker—At Portland, June 16, Jennie (Mayberry) widow of Charles S. Decker, formerly of Cushing, age 79 years.

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For he was one of the best.  
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## GRADUATION TOMORROW

The commencement exercises of Rockland High School will be held in the Community Building next Wednesday night. The program and list of class members follows:

March—"Flag of Victory"  
Class of Nineteen Forty-Four  
Invocation, Rev. Charles A. Marsteller  
Selection, R. H. S. Orchestra  
Salutatory, Arlene Fickett  
Commencement Address, Dr. Julius Bixler  
Selection, R. H. S. Orchestra  
Valedictory, Onni Kangas  
Awarding of Diplomas, Mayor Edward K. Veazie  
Class Ode, Words by Mary Studley  
Benediction, Rev. J. Charles MacDonald  
March, Class of 1944

## SENIORS

NAME	COURSE
Allen, Fred Edwin	Latin Scientific
Allen, Freddie S.	Commercial
Baum, Joan	Latin Scientific
Berry, Marie	Latin Scientific
Blom, Norma Louise	Civic
Carter, Ruth Estelle	Latin Scientific
Cassidy, Katherine Marie	Civic
Castner, Barbara Mae	Latin Scientific
Chadburn, Mary Martha	Civic
Chaples, Doris Arlene	Civic
Cogan, Beverly Joyce	Civic
Compton, Gloria Grace	Latin Scientific
Connolly, Mary Elizabeth	Scientific
Cowan, Horatio C., Jr.	Latin Scientific
Curtis, Norma Emma	Commercial
Dolliver, Betty Ruth	Classical
Economy, Margaret	Classical
Emery, Ruth Cobb	Latin Scientific
Estes, R. Morton	Scientific
Farrand, Mary Julia	Latin Scientific
Fickett, Arlene Dorothy	Classical
Fletcher, Dorothy M.	Civic
Glendinning, Shelby Elizabeth	Commercial
Gray, Lunette E.	Civic
Hall, Alice Louise	Commercial
Hallowell, Albert G.	Latin Scientific
Hallowell, Clara E.	Scientific
Haskell, Elizabeth Beverly	Commercial
Havener, Pauline Augusta	Latin Scientific
Holmes, Elizabeth L.	Commercial
Jackson, Geraldine Harriett	Civic
Jackson, Nathalie Virginia	Commercial
Johnson, Mazie Ellen	Latin Scientific
Jordan, William Russell	Scientific
Kangas, Onni Christian	Commercial
Keene, Byron Edwin	Latin Scientific
Look, Joan Winnifred	Latin Scientific
McIntyre, Melzine Mae	Classical
McIntyre, Doris Willda	Commercial
McMahon, Ruth Adelaide	Classical
McRae, Lincoln E., Jr.	Latin Scientific
Mignault, Kenneth Lee	Vocational
Mitchell, Joyce Lorraine	Classical
Munro, Esther W.	Commercial
Murphy, Charlotte Marie	Latin Scientific
Newhall, Doris Christine	Commercial
Nichols, Lois Althea	Latin Scientific
Norton, Elsie Margene	Commercial
Paul, Robert Thomas	Latin Scientific
Poust, Elaine Muriel	Classical
Prock, Ruby Frances	Classical
Ray, Joyce Joan	Commercial
Robertson, Dorothy Mae	Commercial
Rogers, Alice Rose	Latin Scientific
Rollins, Harlan Kenneth	Vocational
Seaman, Charles E.	Scientific
Shapiro, Benjamin Sherman	Vocational
Shute, Eleanor May	Commercial
Stanley, Bernice M.	Commercial
Stevens, Georgia Anne	Latin Scientific
Stevens, Richard Melvin	Latin Scientific
Stockford, Lewis	Commercial
Storer, Alfred Earl	Scientific
Studley, Mary Francena	Commercial
Tootill, Joel Berry	Vocational
Ulmer, Austin Raymond	Latin Scientific
Veazie, Louise Roberts	Latin Scientific
Welker, John Ralvan	Latin Scientific
Whitmore, Charles Herbert, Jr.	Latin Scientific
Witham, Gloria Lorraine	Latin Scientific
Witham, Virginia Lucille	Commercial
Withington, Reginald Hayes	Scientific

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## Alan Bird Chosen



A resident of Knox County has been appointed to a post on a sub-committee of the Republican State Committee, Lloyd B. Morton of Farmington, chairman, has announced. Alan L. Bird of Rockland will serve on the Committee to assist Clifford Carver in Finance. These committees composed of State Committee members will lay the groundwork for the coming State and Presidential campaigns.

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## Mrs. Sanborn's Recital

## Presence Of Miss Armstrong, State President, Occasion Of Happy Affair

The Universalist vestry was well filled with an appreciative audience Friday night, and enthusiasm was at high pitch from the first number given by the orchestra ensemble to the end, when all arose to sing with vigor "The Star Spangled Banner."

This hurried plan for the recital was partly because the State president of the Federated music clubs, Miss Louise H. Armstrong of Portland, was in the city and she loves junior programs.

The spirit of the evening was eased to enjoyable comradeship by Mrs. Sanborn's gracious manner in asking that the concert be informal in nature. A bit of disturbance occurred when a huge June bug decided to attend the musical program. Weary soon of pests, he departed.

The excellence of the performance of these youthful students in music was their marvelous memorizing of difficult compositions. Seldom was sheet music used. The technique shown in proper phrasing and clear appreciation of the meanings of the composers was very fine and gave to the listeners great pleasure.

Miss Dorothy Havener, home with an armful of honors from the Boston Conservatory of Music, where she has been at close study, astonished even the audience which has known of her rare ability through her developing years, with the perfection of her performance. The audience was thrilled—yes even more than that.

After this delightful event a few followed Mrs. Sanborn and Miss Bertha Luce to their home to talk it over and enjoy the charm of her hospitality and the added pleasure of close contact with our very lovely State President, Miss Armstrong.

—K. S. F.

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Mrs. C. N. Denison and daughter have returned from Stillwater, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe and daughter of Auburn have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowe. On their return they were accompanied by Miss Dorothy Rowe who will visit them.

Miss Betty Felt returned Wednesday to Portland. She has been a guest of Mrs. James Goodwin.

Mrs. Fannie Burns has returned to her home on Benner Hill after spending the winter in New York. Helen and Greta Ralph are patients at the Maine General Hospital, Portland.

Miss Anna Clark of Augusta has been a guest of Mrs. Nellie Reeve. Mrs. Maude Clark Gay was in Portland Thursday.

Rose Gray of Indiana is a guest of Mrs. Lillian Vannah.

New telephones have been installed in the homes of Virgil Morse, Jr., Alfred Standish, Charles Collamore, A. W. Morton, Melville Burns, Sulo Laine and the Mayflower Inn and Leland Johnston, Atlantic Highway.

Miss Abbie Buck of the Maine State Public Health Service was a business visitor in town this week. Lt. General George Grunert has announced that cameras may be used along Maine beaches. Photography of military and naval installations is still prohibited. The ban has been on since Sept. 7, 1942.

Chester Carter has been at the Maine General in Portland for surgical treatment.

Miss Faye Keene, teacher at the Ethical Culture School in New York is at her home Marble avenue, for the summer.

Dean and Mrs. Arthur Deering of Orono have announced the engagement of their youngest daughter, Helen M. Deering to Pte. Edward H. Piper Caribou. Both parties were U. S. M. graduates in the class of 1943—Miss Deering from the College of Home Economics and Mr. Piper from the College of Agriculture.

Miss Deering has been instructor at the Waldoboro High School, class of Home Economics. Pte. Piper is stationed at Colorado. No date has been set for the wedding.

Monday, June 26, at 2.30 there will be a demonstration of food preservation and conservation at the Waldoboro High School, sponsored by the Woman's Club under the supervision of Mrs. Dana and Joyce Johnson.

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## HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

The Senior High assembly Tuesday, was devoted to reports on the school's participation, thus far, in the 5th War Loan Drive. Ernest Munro, as master of ceremonies, led morning devotions and introduced the speaker, Joseph E. Robinson, Knox County chairman of the current drive, who made clear the importance of bringing the drive to a successful conclusion. Mr. Smith, who planned the assembly, read President Roosevelt's prayer for the invasion and the assembly joined in the Lord's Prayer and in a silent prayer.

"Say a Prayer for the Boys Over There" was sung by Dorothy Fletcher, accompanied by Sandra Halliwell on the piano. This was followed by reports of sales and pledges from a representative from each home room, who were: Stanley Walsh, Wesley Martin, Jean Young, David Sullivan, Carleton Gamage, Phillip Gray and Elaine Christoffersen, Junior High; and Vina Delmonico, Douglas Curtis, Cresswell Gamache, Alan Wikie, John Brann, Donald Kelsey, Dennis Trask, Harold Look, Horatio Cowan, Polly Havenner, Sherwin Steeper and Barbara Kester from Senior High.

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Miss Mary Jane Boggs is visiting Miss Sarah Hayden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hayden, South Windham.

Lloyd Thomas and Mrs. George Dean of Lincolnville, and Mrs. Corinne Hunter of Haverhill, Mass. were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ralph Norwood.

Ralph Norwood, who resumed work at the Bath Iron Works last week, after an illness caused by infection, has suffered a recurrence of the infection, and is back in the hospital in Bath again for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Perkins Jr. went Sunday to Searsport, where they will spend a short vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perkins, Sr., before Principal Perkins leaves for Orono to attend the Summer session at the University of Maine, to work toward a master's degree.

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Aarne Lipponen and Mrs. Lynda Butler of this town, an event of Saturday, June 10, in Rockland, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Alfred G. Hempstead, pastor of the Methodist Church in Rockland. The double ring service was used, and attendants of the couple were Mrs. Oram Simpson and Mrs. Ellen Hempstead of Rockland. Mr. Lipponen is employed at the Frank L. Sample, Jr., Shipbuilding Company at Boothbay Harbor.

Committees in the Congregational Circle appointed for the various tables, and entertainment for the August Fair, which will be held Aug. 10, are: Fancy work, Mrs. William Barrett, Mrs. Alice MacDougall, Mrs. S. A. Watts, Mrs. Harold Durant, Mrs. Sadie Barrows, Mrs. Abbie Newbert, Mrs. George Walker, Mrs. Elizabeth Munsey, Mrs. Katie Starrett, Mrs. George Brigham, Mrs. S. Kallach, Mrs. Olive Peabody; cooked food, Mrs. William H. Robinson, Mrs. Willard Boggs, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. Inez Mathews, Mrs. E. W. Perkins, Mrs. Alvah Simmons, Mrs. Ethel Griffin; miscellaneous, Mrs. Laura Starrett, Mrs. Leland Philbrook, Miss Frances Spear, Mrs. Fred Starrett, Mrs. P. D. Starrett, Miss Rosa Spear, Miss Eda St. Clair; grubs, Mrs. Sidney Wylie, Mrs. Harold Boggs, Mrs. Alice White, Mrs. Walter Starrett, and Mrs. Edwin Emerson; entertainment, Mrs. Earle Moore, Mrs. Albert Burdick, Mrs. Donald Mathews, Mrs. Roland Berry, Mrs. Parker McKellar; decorations, Mrs. Willis Vinal, Mrs. Phillip Simmons and Mrs. C. E. Overlock.

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Warden Smalley began his career teaching school on Harbor Island in the St. Georges area and for 13 years drilled the children of the island folk in the three R's. During this period he devoted a good deal of his spare time to study of birds in hope that some day he could take up ornithology as a livelihood. But circumstances forced him out of a teaching career and into the more lucrative business of house painting in his home town of Tenants Harbor.

Smalley liked house painting but he liked being out of doors better and on June 6th, 1904 he joined the Sea and Shore Fisheries Department as a coastal warden. At that time the Department was new and the "fishermen were all down on us wardens but now they are glad to see us come," Smalley maintains.

He attributes this condition to the fact that he has not had a man in court for more than five years on a short lobster charge.

"Most of the fellows realize we are working with them and in keeping short lobsters they are only hurting their own livelihood," Smalley continued.

Warden Smalley lost his arm in a short gun accident when a small boy but he can handle a pair of oars as well as the "next fellow."

**SOUTH HOPE**

Mrs. Ruby O'Neill of Rockland and Marcus Bray PhMtc who is stationed at Ash Point Naval Base, were recent callers on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrifield.

Misses Edith Dunbar, Aurie Willis, Lucy Bowley, Laura Bowley and Frank Willis. Robert Pushaw and Harry Merrifield enjoyed a wienie roast Wednesday night at Crabtree's shore.

Those from here who graduated Friday from Union High School are Laura Bowley and Harry Merrifield.

Warren Reynolds and Everett Crabtree went Thursday to Portland for pre-induction and physical examination.

Mrs. Ella Bowley is keeping house for Peary Merrifield while Mrs. Merrifield is in the hospital.

Miss Flora O'Brien of Rockland was overnight guest recently of Mrs. Hattie Farmer.

Mrs. Abbie Heal of Camden spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Albert Heath.

Eugene Dunbar of Malden, Mass., was being passing a week with his father, Charles Dunbar.

A farewell party was given recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Willis for Eugene Dunbar who has since entered the Service. Present were Edith Dunbar, Aurie Willis, Lucy Bowley, Laura Bowley, Olive Campbell, Joan Brown, Robert Pushaw, Everett Crabtree, Frank Willis, Basil Brown, Lawrence Merrifield and Harry Merrifield. He received a gift of \$30.

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A pageant, "The Bible Speaks" will be given Sunday night by members of the Sunday School and the choir of the Baptist Church, Mrs. H. W. Plagg directing.

Mrs. Charles Tisdale of Gardiner, who spent the weekend with Miss Ella Stackpole, called Wednesday on Mrs. Henry Shaw.

Mrs. Leon Hall, Mrs. Letitia Starrett, Mrs. Edna Young, Mrs. Emma Kallach, Mrs. Fostina Carney and Mrs. Olive Pales attended the Third District Council meeting Monday in Union.

Miss Blanche Henry, who has been teaching in Manchester, Conn. is spending her Summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Henry. Elizabeth Henry, her sister, who is employed in Pittsfield at the M.C.I. spent a few days with Miss Henry in Manchester, Conn., returning to Pittsfield.

Mrs. David Moore, who is employed at the Emery Brown Co., in Waterville, is passing a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walsh returned home Tuesday after visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Newcombe in Brookline, Mass.

Eugene J. Pales, Jr., has been commissioned Ensign in the U. S. Maritime Service in Boston. He is now passing a few days with his parents.

Mrs. Leon Hall, Mrs. Fostina Carney and Mrs. Emma Kallach attended Monday the installation of officers of Winslow-Holbrook Post, A. L. in Rockland.

Ester E. Plagg a student at the University of Maine was among the 175 named to the Dean's list of honor students for the spring term just completed. The office of Registrar has announced. Leading the honor roll were eight students, who achieved the rank of all A's in their studies for the term. Students are named to the Dean's list for attaining an average rank of B or better in their studies for the term. Miss Plagg is a Junior in the College of Agriculture, majoring in Home Economics.

Mrs. John Carlton Mason who has been guest of her mother, Mrs. John Hanley, has returned to North Easton, Mass.

Mrs. Edith Aldrich has reopened the Thomaston Cafe in the Davis Block.

An Eastern Star School of Instruction for District 11 will be held Wednesday at 1:30 with Grace Chapter as hostess. The School will be conducted by Mrs. Mildred K. Collins of Auburn, grand conductress, and Mrs. Mary D. Minott of South Portland, worthy grand matron, and other grand officers are expected to be present. Members of the hostess chapter will exemplify the opening and closing and routine business; guest officers will exemplify the ritualistic work. Supper will be at 6:30. In the evening will be the annual inspection of Grace Chapter, with Mrs. Minott as the inspecting officer.

Miss Gwendolyn Thornton, celebrated her ninth birthday Saturday by entertaining a group of friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Thornton, Brooklyn Heights. Games were played. In the group were: Eleanor Shields, Dorothy and Dolores Whitten, Anita and Jeaneen Spaulding, Eleanor Glidden, Martha Jack, Pauline Keizer, Janet Seekins, Doris Seekins and Gayle Treat. Also present was her grandmother, Mrs. Fred Thornton, who also had a birthday that date. The color scheme was red, white and blue. Refreshments were served and Gwendolyn received many nice gifts.

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The Red Cross Motor Corps will collect all articles for its rummage sale Thursday morning beginning at 9:30. They are in urgent need of all the articles they can possibly

get. Those wishing to donate may call these telephone numbers if they wish: 153, 204, 59-2. The sale begins Friday at 9 o'clock in the Sawyer block.

The Alumni banquet was held Thursday at Masonic Temple with 92 in attendance. A business meeting was held after which a short program was given. Remarks were given by members of the alumni 50-year class. Two violin selections were played by Miss Bertha Luce, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Sanborn, group singing was also enjoyed by Mrs. Sanborn and Mrs. Blanche Lermond, accompanist.

Following the banquet the ball was held at Watts hall. A large crowd The Garden Club will meet Thursday at 3 at the home of Miss Rita Smith. Miss Anna E. Coughlin of Rockland will be the speaker. Each member is privileged to take a guest.

Mrs. Marshall Richard of Gosham spent the weekend with Mrs. Fannie Howard. She also called on other friends in town.

Mrs. Betty Townsend was guest of honor at a surprise shower given Friday by a group of her friends at her home on Beechwood street.

In the party were: Mrs. Robert Wolfe, Mrs. Charlotte Melquist, Miss Florine Burnham, Miss Jean Crie, Miss Glenice Lermond, Miss Gwendolyn Barlow, Miss Ruth Miller, Miss Beverly Kirkpatrick, Miss Marianna Rockwell, Miss Sally Gray and Mr. Townsend. A gift was presented.

Mrs. Horace Maxey, chairman for the Fifth War Loan Drive has announced this list of workers: Mrs. Lillian Comery, Mrs. Marion Hubbard, Mrs. Adelle Dow, Mrs. Roy Bell, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Lawrence Sanborn, Mrs. Blanche Lermond, Mrs. Esther Wolfe, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Charlotte Melquist, Mrs. D.Dorothy Cook, Mrs. Roland Seekins, Mrs. Marion Grafton, Mrs. Frank Elliot, Mrs. Marion Vinal, Mrs. Alvaury Gay, Mrs. Walter Bowe, Mrs. Carl Swanholm, Mrs. Malcolm Seavey, Miss Mildred Demmons, Mrs. Barbara Wadsworth, Mrs. Mary Blake Starrett, Mrs. Mildred McLeod, Mrs. Edward J. Marks, Miss Alice George, Mrs. Lillian Dornan, Mrs. William Hoffes, Mrs. Forrest Grafton, Mrs. Elbridge Grafton and Mrs. Gladys Condon.

Walter Dunham of Lynn, Mass. is visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robbins. The citizens on the home front in this town are demonstrating that they are in this war and are backing up the 225 Thomaston boys in service by subscribing to the 5th War Loan right now. One solicitor was told "We don't mean to let our neighbor do all the investing while our boys are fighting in France in Italy or in the Pacific." Thursday night the first official returns will be announced. The drive continues until July 8 but the committee have confidence the quota for Thomaston will be "over the top" by June 30.

Lula M. Armstrong  
Funeral services for Mrs. Lula Maud Armstrong 67, wife of Marion Armstrong formerly of this town, who died Wednesday at the home of her daughter Mrs. Geneva A. Connolly in Newport, R. I. with whom she had made her home for the past four years, were held Friday at Davis Funeral home. Rev. J. F. Savage officiated.

Mrs. Armstrong was born in Cushing Jan. 16, 1877, daughter of William and Elizabeth Smith, and resided in this town many years before going to Newport. Besides her husband, and Mrs. Connolly she is survived by 2 other daughters and one son, Mrs. Eleanor Curtis and Mrs. Dora Emery, both of Newport and Fred E. Armstrong of Jefferson, a sister, Mrs. Sarah Crowley of Thomaston, a brother, John Smith of this town and six grandchildren.

The bearers were Earl F. Woodcock, Edwin A. Anderson, Rodney E. Jordan and William Mathews. Interment was in the Thomaston cemetery.

Abiatha H. Mank  
Services were held Tuesday at Davis Funeral Home for Abiatha H. Mank, 74, who died Saturday at his home on Erin street after three years' illness. Rev. H. F. Leach officiated.

Mr. Mank was born in North Warren, Oct. 14, 1869, son of Alden and Hannah Mank. He was a blacksmith by trade.

Surviving are his widow, Sadie E., a son, Charles of Bath, and a granddaughter, Anna.

Interment was in Levensaler cemetery, Washington.

## Twenty Graduated

Thomaston High School Has Its Commencement—Three Had Graduated In February

The Thomaston High School graduation exercises were held Wednesday night in Watts Hall before a large audience.

The stage was beautifully decorated by members of the Junior Class, with early Summer flowers. The motto in white and green, the class colors, was worded "Today Decides Tomorrow" was placed in the high background.

The 20 members of the class wore Navy blue caps and gowns, this being a change for the past few years.

The program follows: March, "Our Director," Orchestra; prayer, Rev. Hubert P. Leach; salutatory, "World Politics," Marilyn Maloney; class will, Lois O'Neill; first oration, "Education of Tomorrow," Audrey Simmons; class prophecy, Elizabeth Fields and Russell Kelley; second oration, "Economic Contentment," Eleanor Nelson; class history, Eleanor Gregory; gifts, Elaine Dodge and George Sullivan; valedictory, "A Just and Lasting Peace," Jean Crie.

Eleanor Nelson was presented the award of the DAR certificate and pin. Miss Nelson was chosen DAR candidate for the annual DAR pilgrimage this year based on dependability, leadership and patriotism. Presentation of diplomas by Supt. Charles Lord. Class Ode by Jean Crie; benediction, Rev. H. F. Leach.

The Senior class members were: Arthur Eric Anderson, South Thomaston; Jean Edith Crie, Leatrice Miller Davis, Friendship; Elaine Dyer Dodge, Friendship; Elizabeth Sylvia Fields, Monhegan; Jean Pendleton Gilchrist, Eleanor Mae Gregory, Frederic Alpheus Haley, Phyllis Edna Hall, Russell William Kelley, Myra Wilma Lash, Friendship; Mary Etta Luce, Francis Peter Lynch, Elbridge Harold MacFarland, Friendship; Marilyn Miller Maloney Cushing; Eleanor Kay Nelson, Lois Hattie O'Neill, Audrey Margaret Simmons, Charles Edward Smith and George Frederick Sullivan.

Three other members of this class were called to the service of their country—Richard Irving Pales of Friendship; Joseph Allen Richards and Averil Lee Robinson who graduated under the emergency program last February. Thirteen members of the class have been elected to the National Honor Society—Jean Edith Crie, Elizabeth Sylvia Fields, Jean Pendleton Gilchrist, Eleanor Mae Gregory, Frederic Alpheus Haley, Phyllis Edna Hall, Russell William Kelley, Mary Etta Luce, Marilyn Miller, Maloney, Eleanor May Nelson, Lois Hattie O'Neill, Joseph Allen Richards, Audrey Margaret Simmons.

The Baptist Ladies Circle served supper to a large company Wednesday, Mrs. Albert Lovejoy, Mrs. A. J. Spaulding, Mrs. Maxine C. Wood and Mrs. William Daggett acted as housekeepers. Table decorations were flags. After supper, an interested audience listened to a fine program appropriate to Flag Day. Mrs. Joanne Vinal sang the air from HMS Pinafore, "Little Buttercup" accompanied by her mother, Mrs. William Vinal. A Eugene Jellison, tenor, recently returned from Coburn Classical Institute, rendered solos, "I Hear a Forest Praying" (deRose) and "The Desert Song" accompanied by Mrs. Grace M. Strout. An able discourse based on Flag Day was given by Chaplain Myrosee, USCG.

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Miss Dorothy Robbins is visiting

## Diplomas And Awards

Camden High School Extols Forty-Three Seniors Who Graduated Thursday

Commencement activities were held in the Camden Opera House Thursday with 43 receiving diplomas. Following the procession, second honor student Evelyn Small spoke on "Education in the World of Today." Miss Flora Pearce then followed with the history.

Frances Dailey and Sidney McKen then presented the prophecy in the form of a radio news program. Following this, Miss Charlotte Lunn gave an essay on "The American Little Theater Movement." A selection was played by the orchestra, followed by the will given by Nellie Ames. Philip Wentworth gave an oration on "A Successful Postwar Peace" followed by the presentation of gifts.

President Burke gave the "Address to Undergraduates" and first honors speaker, Minetta Johnson, spoke on "Excelsior—Still Higher" following a selection by the orchestra, awards prizes and diplomas were presented.

Town Manager Percy R. Keller presented these awards: Philip Wentworth and Flora Pearce a sum of money donated for the highest ranking girl and boy in the college preparatory course; Becker Key, Minetta Johnson; Certificate of award for 120 words a minute in shorthand, Miss Minetta Johnson; Citizenship medal and certificate awarded by the American Legion to the girl and boy chosen by the Senior class, Philip Wentworth and Nellie Ames. After the diplomas were presented the tassels were changed and the Ode was sung. The ode was written by Geneva Knight. Benediction was then offered.

The seniors got their place in the sun, for portraits were published of Caroline Burns, Betty Cavanaugh, Annie Childs, Priscilla Crockett, Robert Deane, Mary Hawkins, Sylvia Heald, Arlene Keller, Helen Marston, Marjorie Noyes, Gerald Richards, Roberta Simmons, Ralph Staples and Carolee Wilson. Pictures of the various activity groups are also published.

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David Bryant, U. S. Navy was at the home of his mother, Mrs. Ruth Bryant on a short leave Friday.

Robert Morse, U. S. M. C. recently passed a short furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Morse of Knowlton Street.

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## Told By "The Tatler"

Junior Class Did Fine Job With Rockport High School Magazine

The Rockport High School year book known as "The Tatler" has made its appearance published under the auspices of the Junior class, and dedicated to Capt. W. Huse Richards. The Tatler speaks of him as our highly esteemed janitor for the past eight years. No cause for complaint has ever been found with his meticulous care of the school house. The rooms have always been warm and clean. No man seems more deserving of our dedication than he.

"Born in 1868, Captain Richards undertook his first ocean cruise at the age of 15. After sailing on schooners for many years, he became captain of his first barge at the age of 33. From then until 1932, he sailed up and down the Atlantic coast carrying lime, lime, coal, and fertilizer. Today, he still thrills his many listeners with tales of his seafaring days. We hope Captain Richards continues his service at school as long as possible, for we know that he has a large part in making our school a success."

The Tatler board was made up as follows: Editor-in-Chief, Nancy Ingraham; business manager, Margaret Ames; athletic editors, Neil Brown and Rita Cash; alumni, Rachel Annis; literary editors, Patricia Wall and Joanne Bartlett; news editor, Allegra Noyes; advertising, June Stiles and Helen Hall; photographer, Neil Brown.

Literary contributions were made by G. Richards, Norma Bartlett, E. Annis, J. Carver and "A Junior." The school was not short of rhymesters offerings were made by D. Briggs, A. Keller, S. Heald, Joan Thurston, R. Deane, P. Wall, P. Crockett, M. Noyes, June Stiles, Pat Wall, and N. Bartlett.

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## Camden's C. Of C.

And How It Helps Keep a Busy Town in the Spotlight

The Camden Information Center opens at the Town Offices, 14 Washington street, next Monday with Miss Margaret Thomas in charge. Miss Thomas, who has been attending Detroit Business University in Michigan, was in charge last Summer. In addition to furnishing information to visitors to Camden this Summer office will serve as a clearing-house for information about employment, housing, salvage, and other war-time activities. Miss Thomas will also assist the town officials with clerical work. She will be on duty during regular business hours.

Copies of the 1944 Guide Book may be obtained at the Information Center.

"Town of the Flower Baskets"

It looked for a while this Spring as though this trademark would be a war-time casualty and no flower baskets would bloom on the lamp-posts this Summer. But Alice Hansen and the Garden Club finally solved these problems, and the baskets are up and looking lovelier than ever it seems, with their red geraniums matching the border for the Honor Roll in the Village Green.

Makes Another Record

Joseph A. Brewster, 50 years a garment manufacturer in Camden became the first man from Camden to sail as a passenger on one of the Swift windjammers. Camden men have sailed with the schooners as captains, cooks and crew members but Brewster was the first passenger. This is the ninth season that the Swift cruises have sailed, eight of them from Camden.

It was the first vacation from his business that Mr. Brewster had taken in many years, and he had a "wonderful rest and a fine time," he reports. "There was a lot of singing on board, during the cruise, which I enjoyed, and at Stonington, we organized a dance. Fred Simpson's cooking was fine, and there was a nice group of passengers."

In the News

One of Mr. Brewster's fellow passengers on the schooner "Lois" last week was Mrs. Marjorie Candee Houck, of New York, who had been commissioned to write an article about her cruise for the magazine "Motorboating." Mrs. Houck had Coast Guard credentials for picture taking and the story, with pictures, scheduled to appear some time this Summer. Mrs. Houck is also editor of "The Lookout," published by the Seaman's Institute of New York and the wife of a Congregational minister in New York. Both Mrs. Houck and her husband were classmates of Gleason Perry at Union Theological Seminary and Gleason nearly fell off the wharf last week when strolling near the schooners he was unexpectedly hailed by his former classmate—by the C. C. of C. Reporter.

Farm Bureau Notes

With the Homes

Sheepscot Farm Bureau met June 7 in the Grange hall. Mrs. Dana demonstrated canning in the pressure cooker and the making of sauerkraut. How to prepare vegetables for freezing was also shown. Mrs. Lockhart Curry entertained the Rockland Farm Bureau June 6. After dinner a preservation meeting was held. Mrs. Loana Shibbes showed the members how to dry apples, salt spinach and make sauerkraut. Many questions on canning were also discussed.

Friendship Farm Bureau met with Dr. Anna Platt at Greystones, Friday, June 9. During the afternoon the ladies learned to preserve foods by drying, salting, freezing and also how to make sauerkraut.

4-H Club Notes

Home Economics students from the 7th and 8th grades in Camden attended the canning demonstration given in the home economics rooms June 8 by Mrs. Loana Shibbes, war foods production assistant. Tomatoes were canned by the hot pack method and processed in the hot water bath. The use of the Pressure Canner was taken up as were other methods of preservation. A number of these students are enrolled in 4-H Victory projects.

Mrs. Helen Dana, war foods production assistant, gave a canning demonstration June 9 to a group of girls enrolled in victory goods project in Nobleboro and to their victory guide, Mrs. Florence Peck. Mrs. Dana showed how to can tomatoes in the boiling water bath. She also showed how to use the pressure cooker and how to seal and test the 1944 jar covers.

## ROCKPORT

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Mr. and Mrs. George I. Oliver of Wakefield, Mass., are at their Mechanic street cottage for the season.

The Baptist Ladies Circle will meet Wednesday at the church vestry.

Maynard Ingraham and family moved Saturday to their new house on Pascal avenue.

Mrs. Roberta Best was a weekend visitor in Portland.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hyssong of Portland were in town to attend the graduation Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Marshall arrived Saturday from Coral Gables, Fla., and are at their Pascal venue home for the Summer.

Mrs. Nellie Jordan of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mrs. Belle Coates. Miss Beatrice Marston of Whitinsville, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marston.

Mrs. Leroy Brodis and son Robert of Philadelphia who have been visiting relatives in town, went Monday to Boston.

Charles Erickson has moved to the Torrey house on Church street. The Johnson Society will meet Wednesday with Miss Marion Weidman.

Social Matters

Mrs. Robert Nivison, Jr., and children, Robert, III, Susan and Nancy, of Appleton, Wisc., came Friday and are at the Lincoln McRae cottage at Crescent Beach for the Summer. They were accompanied by Mr. Nivison, who returned to the West yesterday.

Miss Constance Stanley of Waterville was week-end guest of Miss Betty Beach.

Barbara and Edgar McBride are visiting their aunts, Mrs. Harland Rawley in Portland, and Mrs. Guy M. Shibbes in South Portland.

Miss Dorothy Sylvester, a student at the Massachusetts School of Physiotherapy, was a week-end guest of Mrs. James W. Emery.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar R. Marsh of Bath spent the week-end with Mr. Marsh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Marsh.

The Poetry Fellowship meeting was held in Lewiston Saturday when 25 members congregated at the DeWitt Hotel for a day of real pleasure in review work being seriously done by members. Everyone was happy to hold Mrs. Jessie Wheeler Freeman in the chair of honor as president. The nominating committee included Mrs. Mary Childs Jane, Newcastle chairman; Richard Bickford, Dexter, Mrs. Hill, Waterville, Mrs. W. O. Fuller, Rockland and Miss Anna Shaw Buck, Dover-Foxcroft. The speaker of the day was Prof. Paul G. Whitbeck of Bates College who took for his subject "Works of Robinson Jeffers." The speaker was also judge of the merits of poetry and submitted first in lyrics, Carolyn McCully, Farmington "In a Desolate Spring," first in ballads, with Mrs. Agnes Armstrong as judge, Arthur Mayhew Fogg, Portland. The next meeting, this Fall, is to be held in Brunswick.

The Mite Club was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Ray E. Eaton at her home on Lincoln street. There were two tables of contract in play, winners being Mrs. Seabrook Gregory and Mrs. Charles A. Emery. Light refreshments were served. Mrs. Sanford Delano will entertain the club July 3.

Miss Jennie Guptill and Mrs. Margaret Rackliff have returned from a week's visit in Portsmouth.

## Rockport Diplomas

"Deeds Not Words" Was Motto Of Fourteen Alert Graduates

Fourteen boys and girls were graduated from Rockport High School Thursday at pretty exercises held in the Town Hall.

Decorations were in green with the class motto "Deeds Not Words" across the front of the stage and a large American flag for the background.

With Mrs. Clara Lane playing the processional the graduates marshaled by James Whitney took their places on the stage. The class roll is: Priscilla T. Crockett, Caroline F. Burns, Robert C. Deane, Mary F. Hawkins, Sylvia M. Heald, Annie M. Childs, Carrie E. Cavanaugh, Arlene M. Keller, Helen P. Marston, Marjorie A. Noyes, Gerald O. Richards, Ralph E. Staples, Roberta A. Simmons, Carolee M. Wilson.

The program was: Processional; invocation, Rev. C. Vaughn Overman; salutatory, Roberta Simmons; history, Marjorie Noyes, Caroline Burns, Sylvia Heald; "Land of Our Birth," "Let's Bring Glory to Old Glory," Gleen Club; yill and testament, Betty Cavanaugh, Helen Marston; gifts, Mary Hawkins, Arlene Keller; valedictory, "Post War Aviation," Gerald Richards; ode, words by Gerald Richards; awarding of honors, Prin. Clyde M. Hatch; presentation of diplomas, Supt. R. B. Lunt; benediction, Rev. James Barr; recessional and reception to graduates.

Awards from the Alumni Association were presented to Margaret Ames, plaque for the Junior class; and \$5 for the student making the most progress, to Lillias Sullivan.

N. H. They were accompanied by Mrs. Joseph Preslosky and daughter, Jonia Lyn.

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Social Matters

Mr. and Mrs. Ero Blom of Spruce Head announce the engagement of their daughter, Norma Louise Blom, to Robert Trafton Waterman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Waterman of South Thomaston. Miss Blom is a graduate this year of Rockland High School and Mr. Waterman attended the Maine Central Institute at Pittsfield. No date has been set for the wedding.

Kalloch Class of the First Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rollins, Mechanic street, for a picnic dinner tomorrow noon, rain or shine. Take lunch and dishes.

Miss Claire Brickley went Friday to Massachusetts where she will visit a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine McNinis, and aunt, Mrs. Ruth McNinis, in Malden.

Visit Lucien K. Green & Son's second floor, 18 School street, Odd Fellows Block, City, for Furs, Fur Coats and Cloth Coats at moderate prices.

MacDonald Class of the First Baptist Church entertained recently with a supper party at the church. The table was attractively decorated in red, white and blue, with a centerpiece of cut flowers. At each place there was a wrapped gift with an appropriate verse attached and there was much merriment when the gifts were opened and the verses read. A social evening was enjoyed during which Ronald Carver gave the oration. "Truths That Inspired George Washington," and Gerald Bradley read, "The Yanks are Coming." Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Merriam, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Goss, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stoddard, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Young, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Joy, Mrs. Ralph Pinkham, Mrs. Virginia Thomas, Mrs. Anne Billings, Mrs. Donald Murfin, Mrs. William Brawn, Rev. and Mrs. J. Charles MacDonald, Miss Dorothy Sherman, Miss Charlotte Cook, Miss Marjorie Richards, Miss Virginia Egan, Miss Shirlene McKinney, Miss Hilma Bradstreet, Ronald Carver and Gerald Bradley.

"Peace in Our Own Time" was the topic of Mrs. Roy A. Welker's talk at the Silver Tea given by the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the Methodist Church last week. Mrs. Welker said that peace is given by God and is prevented by our own obstacles. She pointed out that during these times of stress we have learned to share one with another. "Peace could be made more certain if we, at all times, showed kindness," Mrs. Welker stated. Mrs. Henry V. Lurvey was chairman and was assisted by Mrs. Ellen Hempstead. Decorations were arranged by Mrs. Edith Tweedies. Miss Hazel Bohn sang three numbers, "Faith of God," "Look Down" and "The Holy Hour," with Mrs. Putnam P. Bicknell, accompanist. Thirty-five were in attendance. Tea, sandwiches and cakes were served.

Spencer Foundation Garments individually designed supports for all needs. Mrs. Mona McIntosh, 235 Broadway. Tel. 296W. 48-51

Members of the Knox Hospital Nurses Alumnae Association held their annual banquet at the Thorndike Hotel, Wednesday, guests of the group being Mrs. Muriel Russell, hospital superintendent; Miss Mary Osborne, director of the School of Nursing, and Miss Wilma Hills, assistant superintendent of the hospital. Following the banquet, Mrs. Russell spoke briefly and a social evening was enjoyed. Those of the association present were: Miss Erna Grundt, Mrs. Josephine Sulin, Mrs. Ruth Strong, Mrs. Joan Melvin, Miss Mary Cavanaugh, Mrs. Madeline Hanley, Mrs. Eva Post, Miss Annie Ellis, Miss Margaret E. Albee, Miss Hilda L. Morse, Mrs. Helen F. Perry, Mrs. Dorothy Merchant, Miss Lelia Shaw and Mrs. Dorothea Gay.

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Has Three Officers

Ruth Mayhew Tent Well Represented In The State D. U. V.

Mrs. Susie Karl, Mrs. Jennie Pietrosky, Mrs. Inez Packard, Mrs. Priscilla Smith, Mrs. Ruth Bartlett, Mrs. Lizzie French and Mrs. Lina Carroll, members of Ruth Mayhew Tent, attended a meeting of the Daughters of Union Veterans in Augusta last week.

Ruth Mayhew Tent, with a membership of 41, has three State officers. Mrs. Lina Carroll, senior vice president; Mrs. Inez Packard, department patriotic instructor and Mrs. Jennie Pietrosky, department guard. Mrs. Inez Packard assisted as color bearer, substituting for Mrs. Ada Payson. Mrs. Lina Carroll was in charge of the gift table, receiving \$53.50, the largest amount ever obtained from this source.

Mrs. Carroll assisted Mary Todd Lincoln Tent of Bangor, as color bearer, in a demonstration of ritualistic work. At reception held in honor of Mrs. Marion Girrell of Bangor, junior past department president, Comrade Stewart, 99 years of age, of Freeport, was a guest. Mrs. Carroll responded to greetings from the Woman's State Corps and Mrs. Pietrosky sang a solo. The banquet held Wednesday was attended by 204 persons.

MRS. REBECCA INGRAHAM Services for Rebecca Adelaide Ingraham, 96, widow of Thomas H. Ingraham, who died Friday, were held in the Russell Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Rev. Alfred G. Hempstead officiating. Many beautiful floral offerings attested the high esteem and love for Mrs. Ingraham, who had been in ill health only since April 9. Bearers were George W. Gay, Dr. Hedley V. Tweedie, Frank Gardner and Herman Stanley. Interment was in Achorn cemetery.

Mrs. Ingraham was born in Rockland, April 26, 1848, daughter of Oscar and Elizabeth (Munro) Healey, and with the exception of 12 years, when the family resided in Bath, she had been a lifelong resident of this city.

She was a charter member of Golden Rod Chapter, O.E.S.; a past president of Edwin Libby Relief Corps; member of the Pratt Memorial Methodist Church; the Woman's Educational Club and the Rockland W.C.T.U.

Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Nellie G. Dow of Rockland; two granddaughters, Mrs. Ruth Flint Wheeler and Miss Mildred A. Dow of Rockland, and a great granddaughter, Miss Ruth F. Wheeler of Rockland, who is employed in Washington, D. C.

Milton Healey of Waltham, Mass., a nephew, was in Rockland yesterday for the services.

Mrs. Florence Philbrook will entertain EFA Club Wednesday afternoon at her home on North Main street.

There will be no meeting of Tonian Circle this week, owing to conflicting activities.

Golden Rod Chapter, O.E.S., will meet Friday night. There will be degree work.

Mrs. Basil H. Stinson had as guest recently, Sgt. Shirl W. Lord of Ellsworth. Sergeant Lord is stationed at Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Daggett of Glens Falls, N. Y., are visiting Mr. Daggett's mother, Mrs. Lena Merrill of Rankin street.

Praise of value to The Courier-Gazette comes in an excellent letter from Arolyn W. Johnson, corresponding secretary for M.F.M.C. She wrote, "Please accept our deep thanks for the excellent publicity given the Maine Federation of Music Clubs at the recent convention in Rockland. You helped vitally in the successful outcome of those days long to be remembered by music lovers of Maine & Music."

Members of the Knox Hospital Nurses Alumnae Association held their annual banquet at the Thorndike Hotel, Wednesday, guests of the group being Mrs. Muriel Russell, hospital superintendent; Miss Mary Osborne, director of the School of Nursing, and Miss Wilma Hills, assistant superintendent of the hospital. Following the banquet, Mrs. Russell spoke briefly and a social evening was enjoyed. Those of the association present were: Miss Erna Grundt, Mrs. Josephine Sulin, Mrs. Ruth Strong, Mrs. Joan Melvin, Miss Mary Cavanaugh, Mrs. Madeline Hanley, Mrs. Eva Post, Miss Annie Ellis, Miss Margaret E. Albee, Miss Hilda L. Morse, Mrs. Helen F. Perry, Mrs. Dorothy Merchant, Miss Lelia Shaw and Mrs. Dorothea Gay.

This And That

By K. S. F.

Ponder this with careful thought: In war-time Britains wild roses are a source of vitamin C, which protects against scurvy, promotes healing of fractures and wounds, and is useful in the treatment of some kinds of anemia. Due to the shortage of citrus fruits—one of the best sources of vitamin C. The discovery of this even richer source is of the utmost importance to the British home-maker. In 1943, rose hips were gathered commercially in England. The 500-ton harvest equalled the vitamin C content of 250,000 oranges and made 2,500,000 bottles of national rose hip, syrup for children. The vitamin is extracted from the rose hips (the fleshy red fruit or seed case of any ordinary rose) which are ripe for picking late in the Fall. In addition to the C vitamin, the rose hip contains appreciable amounts of vitamin A, which has a direct bearing on night vision.

Mace, that delicate flavor used by expert cooks, is obtained from a fragile membrane growing between the two hard shells of the nutmeg kernel.

A microbe taken from the soil has been discovered to contain a poison and deadly to rodents. That is good news if they can only get enough of the microbes.

Pepper is being grown in Central America for the first time. Soon it will be growing here in the South. This war is teaching some easy lessons as well as hard.

Express your faith and confidence in ultimate victory by your purchase of War Bonds in this Fifth War Loan Drive.

A record wheat crop is forecast by the Agriculture Department for this year.

Sun Destroys B2 Vitamin Sunshine creates Vitamin D, but it destroys vitamin B2, also known as riboflavin. Milk in pint bottles exposed to sunlight for an hour loses 40 percent and in three hours 72 percent of its riboflavin. The experiments were made by Dr. Walter J. Peterson, F. M. Haig and A. O. Shaw, of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and reported in "The Journal of the American Chemical Society." Portions of the same milk kept in the dark at room temperatures, and in refrigerators, lose none of their riboflavin. Green leafy vegetables and whole cereal grains also are a source of riboflavin. Nature appears to have worked out some way of protecting the vitamins in the vegetables and cereals from the sunshine.

Watch the increased display of floral beauty in all the city flower gardens.

Have a care when overindulging in coffee or tea or even in soft drinks. Evidence is shown by experts that one may bring on ulcers of the stomach. To those who take their coffee clear comes this thought—Clear coffee without cream or sugar is more drastic in the acid effect and these added to the drink cut down the difficulties by about one-half.

A pair of prehistoric ivory sunglasses believed to be several thousand years old, was recently dug from the ground in Alaska.

Sir Henry Coward, called the "Musical Knight," 94 years old, has just died in England. He was the leading chorus master in England for many years.

Rhubarb Casserole With Meringue Peel one-half pound rhubarb and cut into one-inch pieces. Place a layer of thin slices of sponge cake in a greased baking dish. Add a layer of rhubarb and sprinkle with part of one cup granulated sugar, part of grated rind of one orange and a dash of salt. Continue with alternate layers of cake, fruit and seasonings until dish is full. Cover and bake for thirty minutes. Remove from oven and cover with meringue made by beating the whites of two eggs and adding two tablespoons of powdered sugar. Place in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) to brown, about fifteen minutes. Approximate yield: six portions. Serve with sweetened whipped cream or foamy sauce if desired.

Remember Folks Your Bond purchase is A Vote Of Confidence In Our Fighting Men. Don't Let Them Down, Please... BUY WAR BONDS! —ON SALE HERE—NOW—

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A Good Delegation

Attended State Relief Corps Convention — Check For Commander-In-Chief

Members of Edwin Libby Relief Corps who attended the annual convention of the Relief Corps of Maine in Augusta Wednesday and Thursday, were: Mrs. Hattie Davies, Mrs. Millie Thomas, Mrs. Ellen Knowlton, Mrs. Betty Vinal, Mrs. Inez Packard, Mrs. Gladys Murphy, Mrs. Lizzie French, Mrs. Lilla Elwell, Mrs. Jennie Pietrosky, Mrs. Ada Brewster and Mrs. Susie Karl. Very instructive and interesting sessions were held.

The past State presidents held a meeting and banquet Wednesday noon. Mrs. Hattie Davies, Mrs. Millie Thomas and Mrs. Betty Vinal being among those present. The State Corps voted to buy a War Bond.

Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Vinal, Mrs. Davies, Mrs. French and Mrs. Brewster stopped at Togus on their way home to call on the Commander-in-Chief, of the Grand Army, George T. Jones, 96 years of age, who is given every hope of recovery following a serious operation. Mrs. Thomas was the bearer of greetings from the State Relief Corps of Maine, and presented Mr. Jones with a good-sized check.

Officers elected were: Mrs. Leora Berry of Auburn, president; Mrs. Meta Wilson of Portland, vice president; Mrs. Edna Varnum of Auburn, secretary; Mrs. Millie Thomas of Rockland, treasurer; Mrs. Gertrude Cowan of Bangor, chaplain; Mrs. Gladys Ivers of Lewiston, conductor; Miss Mary Black of York, guard; Mrs. Nancy Martin of Auburn, inspecting officer and Mrs. Gladys Murphy of Rockland, patriotic instructor. Mrs. Thomas is commencing her ninth year as State treasurer.

MRS. CHARLES S. DECKER Jennie (Mayberry), 79, widow of Charles S. Decker, died at her home in Portland, June 16, following several years of ill health. She was born in Nova Scotia and lived most of her life in Newton, Mass. She moved to Cushing in 1929, where Mr. and Mrs. Decker lived until death in 1938. Since then she has lived in Portland. While in Cushing she was a member of the Varsity Club and the Neighborhood Club.

She is survived by a son, Charles R. Decker of Portland, and two grandchildren. Services were held yesterday in the Memorial Chapel in Newton Cemetery, Newton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Higgins and daughter, Anna, of Waterville, formerly of Rockland, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Andersen.

Mrs. Alice Arey formerly of Rockland who has been a patient in the Hospital of Joint Diseases 1919 Madison Avenue, N. Y., for two weeks with a frozen shoulder caused by a fall Feb. 19. She has returned to the home of Mrs. T. Mims 2529 Amsterdam Avenue N. Y. where she is under the care of Dr. Sonnehelm bone specialist.

Miss Barbara Derry of Brunswick spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Derry.

Mrs. Paul Plourde has returned from Norfolk, Va., where she spent the past month visiting her husband.

Wallace Brothers' Circus has applied at the office of the City Clerk for a license to show on the old circus grounds July 24.

Anderson Auxiliary, S. U. V., will meet tomorrow night at 7:30. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

WAC recruiting officers will be at the U. S. Employment office tomorrow from 11 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Lufkin of Rockland have bought the Jackson farm on the Spruce Head road in South Thomaston. Mrs. Lufkin is very familiar with that vicinity having spent the Summers as a child at the Hall farm on Thorndike Point. She is a granddaughter of the late Capt. Hiram Hall. Mr. Lufkin is the son of William R. Lufkin, proprietor of the Caslon Press. They have a daughter, Marianne, six years of age. Extensive repairs will be made on the house and other buildings.

The Commencement ball of the Class of 1944, Rockland High School, held in the Community Building Friday night, was a happy and colorful affair. Miss Louise Veazie and Fred E. Allen, co-chairmen of the ball, led the grand march, a pleasing sight to the many spectators in the balconies. Decorations included blue and white streamers and colored lights, and an unique background of a moon and stars on the stage. Above the stage was the class motto: "To The Stars Through Difficulties." Patrons and patronesses were: Mayor and Mrs. Edward R. Veazie, Superintendent and Mrs. Robert B. Lunt, Principal and Mrs. Joseph E. Blaisdell, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln E. McRae, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMahon, Mrs. Ethel Allen and Mrs. Roy E. Estes. Music was furnished by the popular Coast Guard orchestra.

Mrs. Grace Rollins of Fryeburg, here for the Summer, has an apartment at the home of L. J. Shuman, Pleasant street.

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## Wide Attention

## Being Attracted By Citizens Committee Move—National Magazine Reviews It

The current issue of the National Municipal Review publishes the following article concerning the work of the new Citizens Committee in Rockland:

Civic interest and activity have taken a long step forward in Rockland, Maine. It all began in February when the Rockland Chamber of Commerce appointed a committee on municipal research, headed by Edward C. Moran, Jr., former Congressman and commissioner of the U. S. Maritime Commission, to investigate the possibilities of an active citizens research committee.

The committee found widespread interest in the proposal; six of the seven living ex-mayors favored it, for example. Although the city had not been too badly run, the legal debt limit was being approached. The committee concluded that the city faced both an immediate and a long-term problem. The immediate problem was preparation for the postwar period. The long-term problem was good municipal government, present in every community.

In order to meet these problems the committee felt that a citizens research group would help keep the citizenry informed and continuously alert. In March the committee recommended unanimously the establishment of an independent citizens committee.

Later that same month, after a public invitation to citizens to volunteer for service on such a committee, the Rockland Citizens Committee on Municipal Research was formed. Mr. Moran was continued as chairman.

The activity of the group since its organization has been great. About 150 citizens have volunteered. Subcommittees on public works, education, administration, insurance, public safety, finance, legal activity, health and welfare, civil service, and planning and zoning were established. The elected chairmen of the subcommittees together with the general chairman constitute the executive committee. Each has in turn divided itself into two or more further subcommittees to study and report upon specific subjects.

The subcommittees have been assigned their duties, and a suggested short reading course has been drawn up for their benefit. The Rockland Public Library has cooperated by drawing up a bibliography and by arranging that the State Library make available volumes on many phases of municipal affairs in Rockland for use by committee members. In addition, the committee has purchased additional material independently and through the library which is coordinating purchases in order to assure a useful selection. The reading list includes standard works on city government, the theory and practice of municipal administration, and many National Municipal League and International City Managers Association publications.

The committee has already issued a collection of statistical data designed to give basic historical and current facts about the city's population and financial affairs. In addition to being a project in adult education and the creation of sustained civic interest, two objectives are in view: (1) The making of a survey of Rockland's municipal government by its citizens to culminate in a report of findings with recommendations; (2) the presentation of a proposed new city charter to the state legislature in January 1945 embodying such provisions as may appear from the survey to be desirable. If approved, the charter would be subject to referendum.

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## TWAS COURT OF AWARD NIGHT

## Rockland Girl Scouts Proudly Reviewed Their Pins And Badges, Report A Year Of Achievement

It was the top flight hour of the year for Rockland Girl Scouts Tuesday night when their annual Court of Award was held in the Tower Room of Community Building with all available space taken by keenly interested relatives and friends. The Brownie Scouts had their night to "fly up" and grades five and six received their richly earned honors and awards. Reports presented showed a fine year of accomplishment in all groups.

The program opened with greetings by Mrs. Robert Shankland and comprehensive review of the work of this progressive organization, its aims and ideals, followed by the impressive flag ceremony, the National Anthem and the Scout program was presented under direction of Mrs. Oliver P. Ingraham and gave eloquent proof of the remarkable work done by these children.

Mrs. Paul Bailey directed the beautiful candle light service and presented the Fifth Grade awards, the Sixth Grade honors being given by Mrs. Shankland. The service concluded with "God Bless America," taps and refreshments.

The charming young Brownies were very dignified in their "fly up" ceremonies attaining Scout rank. In Mrs. Ingraham's promising group were Carolyn Senter, Janet Stone, Marie Whalen, Alice Crie, Carol Kent, Beverly Manning, Beverly Burgess, Estelle Sayward and Jeannine Leach. The remaining small Brownies, like their elders, received award pins—Claudette Athearn, Sally Cameron, Carole Clark, Lee Ann Dudley, Janice Pickett, Barbara Boynton, and Shirley Ann Nelson.

The Fifth Grade proudly received their second class badges. Wanda Bradbury, Elizabeth Griffith, Beulah Powell, Mary Cates, Carolyn Harriman, Joyce Lunt, Jacqueline Messer, Gloria Sewall, Nancy Leach, Barbara Daniels, Jean Clough, Glenice Thompson, Louise Skinner and Elizabeth Long. Nearly completed their preparation for badges are Elizabeth Libby, Phyllis Springer, Elizabeth

Carr, Elizabeth Spear and Corinne Edwards. Most of this active group received both attendance and service pins, earned by doing community work such as selling poppies, collecting waste paper, changing library books for shut ins, Christmas baskets etc.

Mrs. W. O. Fuller read a short original bit of verses dedicated to the Girl Scouts.

First Class badges, Sixth Grade were awarded Barbara Clark and Joanne Chisholm. Barbara Clark received cook, gardener, my community, my troop, glass and design badges. Joanne Chisholm received home, health and personal health. Others receiving badges: Cynthia Barbour, weaving; Donna Gardner, design, glass, book binding, hostess, drawing and painting; Rhea Gardner, transportation and communication; Elizabeth Herrick, home nursing and glass; Mary Libby, hostess and photography and Dorothy Toothill, hostess and clothing. Noreen Bartlett received a second class badge.

Attendance pins were awarded Betty Gamble, Noreen Bartlett, Dea Perry, Evelyn Pendleton, Mary Libby, Janice Koster, Elizabeth Herrick, Rita Hammond, Jacqueline Grispi, Rhea Gardner and Claire Brickley. Patricia Whitehill, Bertha Dondis, Janice Koster and Ruth Mahoney have also been active in the Sixth Grade work.

The progress report of the Brownies, led by Mrs. Ingraham and Mrs. Arthur Doherty, assistant showed a highly interesting variety of projects. A colored motion picture was made showing the ceremonies of a Brownie Scout meeting, thanks to Wilbur Senter for the actual shooting of the scenes and the use of his lawn for the locale.

Mrs. Austin Nelson, their former leader, resigned in May. The troop's many activities during the year were arts and crafts, filling and care of baskets to Knox Hospital at Thanksgiving, skating parties and sale of Girl Scout cookies, raising money for troop activities. The Brownie Scout Troop will resume activities in the Fall.

## Dudley Carolers

## The Famous Radio Singers At First Baptist Church Tonight

The Dudley Radio Carolers of the Providence Bible Institute are to be in the First Baptist Church tonight at 7.30. Howard W. Ferrin, president of the Institute; Carlton Booth, head of the music department, and Earle Hulin, instrumentalist, will be here to present the message by sermon, solo and instrument.

Mr. Ferrin and Mr. Booth are no strangers to Rockland, having been here on a number of occasions in the past. Both men are doing a great work in New England and now their services are being called for in many parts of the country.

Recently, Mr. Booth conducted a choir of 2500 women in Madison Square Garden, New York. Mr. Ferrin has been conducting Bible conferences in and around Washington, D. C.

Mr. Hulin is on the music staff of the Institute and is in constant demand for outside work.

Any reason you can give for not buying War Bonds will please Hitler.

They get medals and wooden crosses; we buy War Bonds.

## Doing A Grand Job

## Children Working Hard For Free Tickets and Honors In War Loan Drive

Rockland school children are doing a grand job in backing up the Fifth War Loan Drive as is shown by the figures released by Manager Romanoff of Park Theatre at the close of the first week of the campaign.

Stimulated by the big Kiddie War Bond Show to be held at Park Theatre July 1, these youngsters have been responsible for the sale of 125 Series E Bonds totaling \$4,350, which is a very commendable showing.

Every child taking a bond sale to Park Theatre is eligible for a free ticket to the Bond Show which will feature Abbott and Costello in "Hit The Ice," and considering the rapid pace already set during the first week, many hundreds of school children will be taking part in this most patriotic affair.

Many children have already made notice of their intentions to take part in the contest to be among the "Honored Six" who will be taken on jeep-tour of the Rockland Naval Air Station and a torrid pace has been set already. Leading in this contest at the present are: Jeanine Leach with 16 sales; Helen Candage 8, George Phillips 7, Thomas Brown 6, Bruce Stratton 5, Patricia Cuthbertson 3, and Sylvia Nelson 3. Many other children have one and two bonds to their credit with intentions to give the leaders a real run for their money.

Tickets for the Kiddie Bond Show Saturday morning July 1 can be obtained now at Park Theatre and may be had by any child receiving credit for a bond sale at the Park which is an official bond issuing agent. Now's the time to do it, kiddies. Your efforts in selling bonds will help win the war sooner, and you will be rewarded with a free movie, and if you dig in a bit harder you will be among the six children taken on that most interesting tour of our Naval Air Station.

## SOUTH HOPE

Mrs. Hazel Hart and daughter Ann, have returned to their home, after a visit of several weeks in New York and Massachusetts.

Mrs. Helen Diss, who was guest

## Wallace E. Mason

## Death Of Former Thomaston Man Who Had Prominent Career

Wallace E. Mason, former legislator and educator died Tuesday after a brief illness. The deceased was a former resident of Thomaston, and despite long absence from that town, was well remembered by its older residents.

Born in Conway, N. H. he graduated from Bowdoin College and studied law while teaching in New Hampshire, Maine and Massachusetts. He was admitted to the Colorado Bar in 1899 and practiced there and in Tennessee, returning to teaching in 1901, when he became superintendent of schools in Leominster, Mass.

He was principal of the North Andover, Mass., High School from 1906 to 1911 when he became head of Keene Teachers' College, then Keene Normal School. He continued in this position until his retirement in 1939. He was at one time a member of the New Hampshire Legislature and had recently filed as candidate for election to the same office.

He was a member of Orient Lodge F.A.M. in Thomaston, Sons of the American Revolution, Sons of Veterans, and the New Hampshire Constitutional Convention, as well as several educational organizations.

He leaves a widow, the former Nettie N. Robinson of Thomaston; three sons, Harold E. of Leominster, Mass., Donald R., of Baltimore, and Wallace E., Jr., of Greenfield, Mass., and several grandchildren.

## NEW WONDER BAND

Will Be a Feature of Ringling Bros. Circus, Portland, June 30-July 1

When the big Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus, with its greater and more exciting performances comes to Bayside Park, Portland, Friday-Saturday, June 30-July 1, its patrons will not only thrill to the manifold marvels present in the big top but they will enjoy the absence of a traditional circus gremlin that has, until this year, been part of the circus musical program. The "umpah" in the band will not be there.

This annoying element of all former circus music has been emphatically removed by the new Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey all-brass Wonder Band through revolutionary instrumentation by the show's musical director, Bert Knapp.

The new formula calls for an all-brass band, first ever with The Greatest Show On Earth, and replaces the woodwinds with a section of the rare Bayreuth tubas, thus bringing out richer beauty of tone, even with a band greater in size and scope than any ever heard under canvas.

Performances of the huge circus will be given at 2.15 and 8.15. To permit leisurely inspection of the mammoth new menagerie, the doors will open at 1 and 7.

## NEW PRICING METHOD

Much Will Cover the Handling of Various Fish Products.

The Office of Price Administration, effective July 17, a new pricing method for pre-wholesale handlers of canned fish and seafood which is designed to cut back the cost to consumers.

The regulation provides a six per cent mark-up over "net cost" to primary distributors and requires that other handlers may sell at a price no higher than their suppliers' price plus freight. It also limits the number of intermediate sellers to restore "normal channels of distribution."

The order covers distributor sales of a long list of items including canned Maine and California sardines, domestic canned crabmeat shrimp, Eastern and Gulf oysters, canned salmon, mackerel and tuna fish, and canned Atlantic sea herring and alewives.

of Mrs. Edith Willis the last week has returned to her home in Massachusetts.

Halver Hart, Jr., is training at Castine after a three months training cruise in New York. He passed the weekend with his mother and sister.

The Red Cross branch has finished its work for this season. Members are working on things for a sale, and are to have a supper and sale on the last meeting. On account of the busy berry season, they will hold no meetings until September.

Mrs. Blanche Moody of East Union is convalescing at the home of Hazel Hart.

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## Some D. A. R. Events

## Which Are Booked For Some Day The Coming Month

Sometime in July Mrs. Leroy Hussey, State Regent Maine Daughters of the American Revolution, is to sponsor the launching of a Liberty Ship at the South Portland Shipyard. Members of the Society are to be guests of the New England Shipbuilding Corporation. Those wishing to attend the launching must send names to Mrs. James Patterson, 614 Highland Avenue, South Portland, so that passes may be granted. Each person will be responsible for her own transportation to the shipyard.

On the same day a special meeting of the Maine Daughters D.A.R., will be held at Hotel Eastland Portland, with luncheon; reservations may be made with Mrs. Patterson. Tel. 23232 Portland, \$1.25; send money for tickets which must be purchased in advance. Notice will be sent to our Chapter regent, Mrs. Charles Merritt, in regard to date of launching.

Each D.A.R. Chapter in the State is asked to contribute a new unused book for the crew of this Liberty ship. Send name to Mrs. Howard E. Andrews, 33 Middle street, Halliwell, at once. On inside page put name of the Chapter and city which is donating the book.

Mrs. Merritt has a list of the names of the crew members, with dates of their birthdays, and Chapter members are asked to send them gifts and write letters; phonograph

## Educational Club

## Glen Cove Picnic Has Pleasing Features—Candidate For Governor There

The Women's Educational Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Hazel Woodward at her home in Glen Cove Friday. An article contributed by Mrs. McEllock "The Trek of the Springbok or Buck of South Africa" was read by Mrs. Robbins.

Miss Barbara Woodward played several selections very effectively and with fine technique.

The club was privileged to have Dr. Sisco with them at this meeting. She is the widow of late Dr. Sisco and it was a rare privilege and an inspiration to listen to the reading of his poems. An especially lovely verse "When a man has been in the Mountain with God," was read at his request at his funeral with several other original poems. There were directions to them "not to wear mourning and be sad at his death" as well as instructions and seeds left for the lot in Arlington cemetery. It was a marvel to this scribe to know how calmly and systematically a person could "gather the drapes of his couch about him and settle down to peaceful slumber" and greater still, I think to have these wishes

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carried out so consistently.

The evening speaker was the Democratic nominee for governor, Paul Julian of Waterville. The subject of his remarks being "Personal Responsibility." "There is a great lack of responsibility in our voter today," he said. "We are all stockholders of American Democracy, and we should never be cool or indifferent to this great privilege. Get out the vote at the caucus for here your delegates which represent your locality are selected. They should be chosen with care."

"In other days the job sought the man but today the man pursues the office! There is an old Chinese proverb 'We live in the present; we dream of the future; the Eternal Truths we learn from the past. People are crying state's rights as years ago the south did. It would seem the order is now reversed. Maine was in earlier years a Democratic State."

The speaker paid a fine tribute to Gov. Sewall saying, he has done a splendid job.

"I am a strong exponent of the Jeffersonian type — Democrat." Bureaucracy is all wrong. For example of how this works we turn to the Forestry Commission. The woods are one of Maine's most valuable assets and we have reason to believe at the close of this war will be in even greater demand. The Forestry Commission is controlled by the Government. The Governor has no control over the commission. At the time of the organization of a Civilian Defense program no member of the Forestry Commission could serve as warden of any

warning center.

"The same was true of Fish and Game commission. I believe we could arrange a program, whereby these two commissions could cooperate and co-ordinate to the advantage of both."

"We need a Hollywood Chamber of Commerce to sell our resources to the people of our state. Out-landers are well aware of its beauty and desirability as a resort. Portland is one day nearer Europe than Boston and we should be loading and unloading at our own city. But the political intrigue, 'sold us up the river.' After the war we should get busy along these lines."

"We were not looking for this war—it was pushed down our throat." We failed in that we did not protect ourselves against militarism. Now we are fighting to preserve the dignity of mankind; so we must appreciate the dignity of man in ourselves and others. We may point with pride on our own Boys' town—the Hinckley Good Will Home.

"Now I do not claim to be any Moses to lead us out of all difficulties to that promised land, yet, I do claim with a Democratic Governor and a Republican official state to give to Maine people a better progressive form of administration."

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